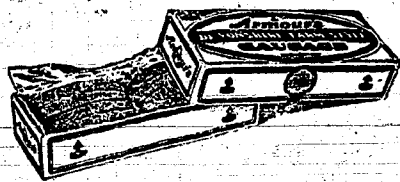


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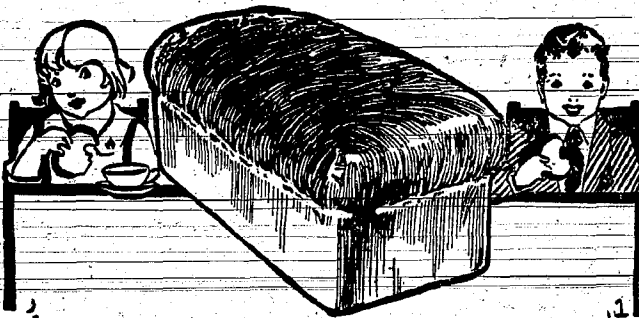
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## VISITS QUEEN OF ROUMANIA

Writes Interesting Story of Visit to Good Fellowship Club.

The following article on Queen Elisabeth, late Dowager Queen of Roumania, also known by pen name of Carmen Sylva, was written for the Good Fellowship club by Mrs. Mary Hanchett Stone of Saginaw, who was a personal friend of the Queen, and was read by Mrs. C. C. Westcott.

Rose Lawn,  
Saginaw, West Side,  
Michigan,  
Dec. 9, 1916.

Mary Hanchett Stone  
To Mrs. C. C. Westcott, Grayling,  
My dear Mrs. Westcott,

This day on which your request reaches me has been fraught with business, anxieties and accidents preventing my desire to make you a cordial response.

However I am most anxious to give you in due time for service some knowledge of the eminently great qualities of my friend the Queen Mother of Roumania, Queen Elisabeth, Carmen Sylva.

When first presented at Court to Her Majesty, Elisabeth put to me the question, "And why did you wish to know a Queen?" I begged to be excused from replying, but she continued, "I insist." "You must answer me," Mrs. Stone. "When I finally replied, "O Your Majesty I did not know that Carmen Sylva was a Queen when I requested of my Austrian friend, your Court's Legatee's wife, an interview with the Author." Then the Queen replied, "How delicious I had rather be Carmen Sylva once than a Queen a thousand times."

At once we became friends, as she remarked, "Now don't think you can know me as a Queen by visiting me at Court, Mrs. Stone. To know me you must know my people. Only thru the people can you come to know a Queen. Will you remain my guest in our Country and let my ladies show you what I have done for them and their Country?" I remained her guest seven weeks that time, seven months the next year and four months the third year.

The Ladies of her realm came at her request and took me to all the Sociological institutions she had built for regenerating their country after the War of Liberation, which they had gone into to help Serbia and Bulgaria to deliver themselves from the Turkish yoke.

Servia and Bulgaria had been under the Sovereignty of Turkey for six hundred years and Roumania for four hundred years. Germany accomplished the delivery of Roumania from the Turkish yoke diplomatically in the early seventies, thru the diplomatic prowess of William the Great and Bismarck. Thereupon Turkey increased her sovereign tax upon Servia and Bulgaria and increased her atrocities for the enforcement of the same. Red-gifs of the Turkish army took advantage and collected ever increasing private tolls from the Servians and Bulgarians until American Missionaries, notably among these Dr. George Washburn of Boston, persuaded them to go to war against Turkey. Gladstone, while England was still the Ally of Turkey, persuaded Russia to go in and help those Balkan Nations fight Turkey. Then England sold Turkey the ammunition with which to fight and helped build those walls of defense thru which England has waded in her own blood this time.

When Russia, Servia and Bulgaria were being beaten by Turkey in 1878 and 1879 they appealed to Roumania three times to aid them only to be refused. The fourth time Roumania yielded only if they would make Charles, their King, Commander-in-Chief of the armies of the four Nations. This they did and Charles or Carol, as they called him, lead the Roumania troops to the front as the Russian, Servian and Bulgarian troops were exhausted from defeats and lack of Generalship. In the recoveries which Roumania made in driving eventually the Turks back and liberating Servia and Bulgaria they lost upon the field all the Roumania manhood. On top of this sacrifice the Powers of Europe took away from Roumania the province of Bessarabia and gave it to Russia in the treaty of 1879.

Queen Elisabeth and King Carol found themselves with a country with no men of their own race above fifteen years of age after the war.

For Centuries before these noble German Prince and Princess came to their aid, they had been ravaged by repeated wars and conflicts with Turkey and Hungary. Centuries before Hungarians or Tartar Mongols out of Siberia or northern Asia had laid siege to and occupied Transylvania and even seized their Capitol, Kronstadt. For Centuries the cradle had been rocked with the Doina song or the Song of Sorrow. Therefore constitutionally and physically the women were fully adopted to assume this new responsibility of the fruition (Continued on last page.)

## WALLOPED TRAVERSE CITY TEAM.

High School Basketball Team Close Season Without Single Defeat.

There is considerable credit due our High school basketball team for their fine record of this year. We have played the best teams in Northern Michigan and each time came out victorious. Each time the strongest line-ups the visitors had, were presented and the wide margin of points in our favor is evidence enough of the superiority of the Grayling team. Cheboygan and Alpena presented their fast teams and they were easily outplayed. Traverse City was the last victim and were trimmed 46 to 11.

During the season Grayling has played the following teams, with scores as indicated:

Dec. 8—Grayling.....37  
Kalkaska.....18  
Dec. 15—Grayling.....42  
Grayling All City.....13  
Jan. 5—Grayling.....32  
Frederic.....31

Jan. 12—Grayling.....44  
West Branch.....9

Jan. 26—Grayling.....73  
Kalkaska.....7

Feb. 9—Grayling.....58  
West Branch.....24

Feb. 16—Grayling.....48  
Gaylord.....29

Mar. 2—Grayling.....32  
Cheboygan.....14

Mar. 3—Grayling.....20  
Alpena.....7

Mar. 9—Grayling.....46  
Traverse City.....11

Totals.....432-163  
Average.....43.2-16.3

Out of ten games played Grayling had a total of 432 points against 163 made by their adversaries, and an average score of 43.2 to 16.3.

TRAVERSE CITY GAME.

The game with Traverse City last Monday night attracted the usual large attendance and those present again saw the local favorites carry away the honors.

The visitors showed up great in practice and it looked as tho Grayling would have to play hard if they were to win. The teams put forth every effort at the beginning of the first half and it was a contest that would arouse the enthusiasm of every lover of the game.

Karpus scored for Grayling and almost immediately after Traverse City scored with a field throw. After another field throw by Grayling the visitors immediately followed suit. Again Grayling scored from the field and the visitors in turn did likewise. The points now stood 6 to 6. This wouldn't do—something had to be done. Then Thompson broke the ice when he scored a fine field throw and then was followed by Karpus who made six points, before the visitors were able to score again. The first half finished 20 to 8 in favor of Grayling.

In the second half Grayling made 26 points and Traverse City three, making the final score 46 to 11. Of the points made, Karpus made 30, Doroh 4, Thompson 4, Meilstrup 2 and Shanahan 2.

This closed the basketball season at home and there is no doubt of Grayling having the championship team of Northern Michigan. Every member on the team is a fast player and Karpus proved himself a most brilliant player. As guard it would be hard to find a better one than Grant Thompson.

This season Grayling had a combination that was hard to beat. The only close game played this year was with Frederic when we won by a score of 32 to 31, on their floor.

The Grayling team, with their coach, Mr. Ball, are attending the tournament at Ypsilanti this week and at Ann Arbor next week, where they will be in competition with high school teams from all parts of Michigan. They left yesterday afternoon.

Preliminary to the Traverse City game our High school second team played Frederic second team. It was a snappy game from start to finish. The Grayling boys are heavier than Frederic's which gave them a strong advantage. In both the second teams there seem to be several players who will surely make strong timber for their first team. In another season. The score was 13 to 7 in Grayling's favor.

Don't lock your door AFTER your horse is stolen nor buy fire insurance AFTER your property is burned.—See Geo. L. Alexander & Son.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends for their help and kindness during the illness, suffering and death of our father. Also for the beautiful floral offerings and their sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. David Knecht,  
George Knecht,  
John Knecht,  
Fred Knecht.

Notice.

Dogs have been killing my chickens and rabbits, therefore I hereby notify all owners of dogs that their dogs will be shot if found on my premises again.

2-8-3 N. H. Nelson.

## BOTH PARTIES NO INATE CANDIDATES

REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP CAUCUS.

The Republican electors of Grayling township met in caucus at the Town hall Tuesday night and elected candidates for the various township offices to be voted for April 2. Chairman M. A. Bates called the meeting to order and read the call.

John J. Niederer acted as chairman and Andy Larsen secretary. Following are the candidates nominated:

Supervisor—Melvin A. Bates.  
Clerk—(no nomination.)  
Treasurer—Holger Hanson.  
Justice of the Peace, full term—Frank Freeland.

Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—Frank H. Mills.  
Highway Com.—Jerry Lovely.  
Member of Board of Review—James W. Sorenson.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Daniel Hoesli.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Stephan.

Constables—Mike Brenner, William H. Miller, Chris Jensen, Carl Larson. The township committee elected was Melvin A. Bates, chairman, Henry Bauman and George Mahon.

DEMOCRAT TOWNSHIP CAUCUS.

The meeting was called to order Monday night at the Town hall by John P. Hum, who was made permanent chairman.

Following are the candidates nominated:

Supervisor—Walmer Jorgenson.  
Clerk—Harry Hill.  
Treasurer—Hans Petersen.  
Justice of the Peace, full term—Ed. G. Clark.

Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—Wm. McCullough.

Highway Commissioner—Peter F. Jorgenson.

Member of Board of Review—J. C. Burton.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Kasmas Rasmuson.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Feldhauser.

Constables—Ed. J. Stillwell, Julius Nelson, John Olson, Johannes Rasmussen.

The township committee elected was J. C. Burton, chairman, C. O. McCullough and John P. Hum.

## School Notes

Hersel Fairbotham has left school.

Mrs. Schumann visited the sixth and second grades last week.

The third graders are enjoying the story of the "Dutch Twins."

Holland is the topic this week in the first grade.

Ernest Larson, who has been out of school for the past week on account of sickness has returned.

The pupils of the sixth grade enjoyed a sleighride last Thursday after which they returned to the school gymnasium for supper. They then spent the early part of the evening in playing games. Nearly all then attended the entertainment given by Barkley, the cartoonist.

No basketball games this week or next. The team left yesterday to attend the tournament at Ypsilanti, which begins to-night. This tournament is for high schools whose enrollment is less than 200. Next week they will attend the tournament at Ann Arbor, where they will compete with teams from the largest high schools of the state. Mr. Ball accompanied the team. Here's hoping.

In a letter received Tuesday from Mr. C. B. Bishop, manager of athletics in the Cheboygan High school, he dropped the following remark: "The Alpena game of last Saturday renewed our confidence which we had lost at Grayling March 2. Judging from that game of March 2 Grayling is considerably above the average team. Hoping you the best of luck at Ann Arbor unless you happen to try Cheboygan as an opponent."

He came; we saw; we heard, and were conquered. Byron W. King, poet, orator, educator, scholar, linguist, and philanthropist, made his first appearance in Grayling Monday. He very kindly and willingly consented to come over and talk to the High school for a short time at 3:30. This talk was very much enjoyed and helped to increase the attendance for the evening. The subject for the evening was "What Fools these Mortals Be," which he handled in a masterly way. He instructed and entertained a good sized audience for fully two hours. He has that rare ability to mix the ridiculous with the sublime in such proportions and by such methods that the latter becomes exceedingly interesting. May he long continue to preach the gospel of good cheer, common sense, right living, and hard work.

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### Frederic School Notes.

Our boys' basketball record for this year is:

City team at Frederic, won.

Vanderbilt at Vanderbilt, won.

Vanderbilt at Frederic, won.

Indian River at Indian River, won.

Cheboygan at Frederic, won.

Bay City at Frederic, won.

Gaylord at Frederic, won.

Gaylord at Gaylord, won.

Gaylord at Gaylord, lost.

West Branch at West Branch, won.

West Branch at Frederic, won.

Grayling at Frederic, lost.

The 4th graders are learning Spring poems.

A number of new books have been received for the Public library.

The record of our boys in basketball has put Frederic on the map.

Irma Craven is absent from school on account of the illness of her mother.

The Michigan history class finished their history and are now taking Civics.

A new high school Junior class in reading has been organized, Miss Parr is having charge.

The two new typewriters were received this week.

There has been very little sickness in the high school department this year and the attendance remains far above normal.

Our boys and girls' basketball teams go to Indian River this week.

The sixth grade are progressing very rapidly in percentage.

Several who were absent last week because of illness have returned to school.

Lee Lauvie was in Bay City last week.

Emmanuel Abrahams spent the weekend in Alba.

James Horton and Roy Cain are two new pupils in the primary room.

Bernard Callahan has been absent for the past week because of illness.

The Pneumonia Season.

The cold, damp weather of March seems to be the most favorable for the pneumonia germ. Now is the time to be careful. Pneumonia often results from a cold. The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. As to the value of this preparation, ask anyone who has used it.

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## Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 15

There will be work in the first degree Masonic lodge tonight.

Frank Mannix of Bay City was in Grayling on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Belanger and children are spending a few days in Bay City.

Mrs. Carl Mork is able to be out again after a several weeks' illness.

Mrs. Wm. Brennan and son, Billy, are spending several days in Bay City and Saginaw.

Mrs. Walter Nelson of Johannesburg is visiting friends in Grayling for a few days.

Oscar Rasmussen of Detroit spent Sunday here visiting his cousin, Wilhelm Rasmussen.

Roadmaster J. E. Crowley was taken to Mercy hospital Tuesday with an attack of typhoid fever.

Our wife found a bean in the pantry yesterday and now she's saving it for the Sunday dinner. Come over, Bill.

There will be an Easter dinner at the Grange hall Saturday, April 7. All Grangers are requested to be present.

Guy Peterson has resigned his position at Simpson's grocery and is now clerking in the O. Sorenson & Sons cigar store.

Mrs. Charles Craven, wife of Supervisor Craven of Frederic township, was brot to Mercy hospital Tuesday evening, seriously ill.

Mrs. Emmet Lewis of Frederic visited her son, Russell here a few days this week, and while here was a guest of Mrs. James McNeven.

Mrs. U. R. Layman of Frederic was in Grayling Monday enroute to Manitowish to undergo treatment for rheumatism. Mr. Layman accompanied his wife.

Miss Frieda Olson left Saturday night for Detroit to remain for a couple of months to get the latest styles and fads in dressmaking. She expects to enter a dressmaking shop.

No man is too old or too young to fight for his home and his rights in this country, and if the worst comes we can put twenty million men under arms—provided we can get the arms.

A daughter, Ella Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randolph Monday March 5, but the infant only lived a couple of days. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon from the home on the South Side.

Mrs. George Willis returned last week to her home in Auburn, Indiana. Her little niece, Helen Bradley accompanied her home for a visit. She was also accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. H. Chamberlain, as far as Jackson.

The Cheboygan Democrat says: "Our high school basketball team was defeated in a red-hot game at Grayling last Friday night, and on the following night the Grayling team repeated on the fast Alpena team. We'd like to see that team in action on our own floor."

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## VISITS QUEEN OF ROUMANIA

(Continued from first page.)

and cultivation of the soil and especially as many were pregnant with War babies for rehabilitating.

Many a mother took me thru the story of the sorrows and deprivations of her own life, her delivery of child with father lost in the fields of Bulgaria, with the title of their own very lands vested yet in the hands and names of their Greek Phanariot appointed by the Turks for centuries. Without land title they must make that land yield for the Greek owners and for the bread of their babes, and yet must find some measures for educating their sons. Carmen-Sylva, the Greek to return half of each farm to the ownership of the peasant family and then she built those sociological institutions thru which she systematized the industries of the mothers and enabled them to send their boys to school. I saw that first crop of manhood, ranging from thirty six to forty, and their prosperous wives and families, who in gratitude called Queen Elisabeth, Mamma Regina, or Mother Queen.

Can you, friends, know my sorrow learning that these men, the children of sorrowing mothers, feared at the expense of their eyesight, their sleep, their bodily convulsions are today being moved down in war, when the dying petition and prayer of their Mamma Regina, Carmen Sylva was that they should not enter this war.

Oh, the horror of it to those mothers, who knew that war had always worked havoc and never brot returns, even when unselfishly entered upon for the welfare of their neighbors, and surely not when entered for greed as at this time.

In reassembling the people by her inventive genius after that war of 1877 and 78 and 79, the Queen had introduced the marvelous patterns from their Peasant costumes into fabrics combined to suit London and Paris and yet preserving all the intricate Byzantine and Arabesque designs with which their garments and utensils were decorated. She made the great "Liberty" of London and Paris with those celebrated silks and linen fabrics and embroideries out of these hungry Roumanian homes, where the

mother had rocked the cradle, embroidered, wove and spun white cloth and teaching the older lads their school lessons, all in one breath. How often the Queen said to me "We all learned to do four things at once and continuously."

Yes, she had saved her people from poverty, had preserved and revived their ancient arts and brot these into utility, had recovered their lands from freedom, had raised them from serfs to freemen, had taught them all the world languages, only to have many of them ape the world's greed and avarice. I am thankful she passed on last Spring before she saw them ruthless of the wishes of their wives and mothers, creep thru greed back upon the same fields of slaughter.

Women's Peace party platform is right. "Women have a right to dictate the fate of their country."

The Queen being the Princess of Wied on the Rhine, being reared to become an aspirant to Royalty, being educated with the prospect of far vaster responsibilities and honors, which might have been thrust upon her with a similar marriage to any other of the Hohenzollern family, she had an astute mind trained in political science, has written a text book on International Scientific Diplomacy still in use in German Universities, she was a woman of wisdom as well as of culture and a Patron of Art.

Carmen Sylva wrote poems, composed music, invented designs for lace factories, wrote in five languages, composed poetry in four, designed Cathedral and her palaces with a skill beyond that of her architects, painted in oils and watercolors, did books in hand calligraphy, illustrating them personally and with the faces and forms of her Roumanian subjects, and yet never failed to hear the humblest petition, nor to receive the humblest applicant in sorrow and affliction. In cases of demise in a family, the mourners went as certainly for the consolations of their Mother Queen as to the funeral.

In four months I have known the Queen to receive three thousand people and hear all their wants, necessities and woes. No Lady of Honour was allowed to keep her hands idle even during the pressing and nerve racking duties of Court session, when their responsibilities extended to every guest in the Throne Room and in the Ante-Chamber of the Court until the guest was called to the Throne. With

their hands busy for the aid of a school or mother, their minds multiply their wits at entertaining, until Carmen Sylva's Court was called thru-out Europe, "The Court of Industry." Dear Queen, how precious that she does not live to see her men raised at such sacrifice, moved down due to the ambitions of the few! Her two favorite slogans were "Toward the Heights" and "Work is our Solace." But can the mothers take up their duty to raise another crop of manhood when these have hurled themselves into this unwholesome fray just for acquisition? She who held the pulse of Nations in her regal hands, her tolling hands, advised them to her last breath not to enter this war. It was Queen Elisabeth's aim to preserve Roumanianism. She found them a gifted Latin people, whom she could easily train to speak the world languages, as she called German, English and French. All under thirty spoke the three which she had taught in her schools. Andrew Carnegie helped her with money to build her first school, a public school. She had one of the pupils make for me her own likeness with crayons. She gave me examples of all their embroideries and exquisite weavings and said "Take these to America and create a sentiment for protecting the minor nations from being thrust into war by the great nation of Europe."

I feel that I have accomplished a little, but I do entreat every Club which calls upon me to labor for world peace in drastic style with drastic measures. We censure Germany for "Militarism" and yet we are fostering it in our own Country. I witnessed the Tripolitan and the Balkan wars and went over Mayist, returning in October 1915, and from all the hatreds and animosities of Europe I saw hope in only one religion, and one principle, self-government in Peace.

By knowing the women the Queen used and aided, I learned that women are in advance in principles of Peace and Righteousness. The suffering world needs the heroic spirit of womanhood crying out for Peace. To be at one with the rights that shine upon this bosom of our night of world strife, we must listen in the silences to the voices of the women who have known and arisen out of similar woes into nobler expressions than the thunderous tones of our modern civilization which has brot us nowhere and into death of neediness death with suffering stream. We must climb toward the heights of God and walk with Kings and Priests abroad and with Saints in every atmosphere, and when this is done by men as well as women, we shall not have war.

Do not Queen Elisabeth's "Sweet Hours" with among other poems its ode to Queen Victoria and you will understand. Also read Tennyson's "Vastness" and his "Locksley Hall." Queen Elisabeth held a Beacon light for nations and it was lighted by her willing fire for Peace. It is distinctly burning in her every poem. She forebaw the "wrecked crafts" but implored the shipwrecked souls to pilot still the newer, smaller barks that alone enfeebled age and womanhood can handle. She knew the unrightful rule of the priceless gifts of soul, but plead "Give us, give to the last," remembering "indelible the writing, it shall encircle the movement of the world and have its history." So with her Majesty's spirit I have tried to write you and enthrone you with a few of her words to labor for Peace. How often she said to me "No crowd of friends, no one friend can take away thy solitude, open the floodgates of thy thoughts that living waters may rush thru thy brain and flow forth for the healing of the nations." For she knew that what these heedless nations had caused or allowed her nation to suffer would someday be their portion. Oh the wicked, selfish great Nations! There were no idle, frivolous days for me in the Court Life of Roumania. Everyone served the approaching struggles from which we to-day suffer and are to suffer more seriously in proportion to our dulness to responsibility to the souls of others.

Yours for the thousand voices of my Queen, Carmen Sylva.

## Constitutional Amendments.

Two constitutional amendments are fairly certain to come up for a vote in April as a result of the last week's work in the legislature. One is the amendment empowering the state to buy and operate railways and the other the amendment to allow cities to establish municipal fuel yards. The first has gone through both houses. It is designed to give the state power to compel the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad, now a part of the Grand Trunk system, to pay taxes levied by the state. The other has been reported out for consideration and its advocates claim that a majority of both houses are pledged to its passage.

Must Have Warrants. The house killed the senate bill that would permit officers to make arrests without warrants. House members believed that police have enough power in the making of arrests now, and the bill, although it had passed the senate and was endorsed by the state association of prosecutors and sheriffs and by the state bar association, received two less than the 51 required to pass the house. Its friends had the vote considered and made a second effort to pass it, but it lost nine votes and failed for good the second time up.

For Women's Suffrage. Suffrage for women also has come up again. Rep. Flowers, of Detroit, has introduced a bill to allow women to vote for presidential electors and a constitutional amendment to allow them to vote at all elections the same as male voters.

New Bills Introduced. By Rep. Wood, to allow mayors of cities to seize for fuel or food in time of famine and recompense the owners at cost, plus 15 per cent.

By Rep. Welsert, to establish county boards of health in counties which decide by referendum that they want them.

Senator Whiston wants a bill passed that will make it certain that cities of 15,000 population have at least one member of the board of supervisors in their counties.

## LOW RATES FOR LOG HAULING INVALID

RAILROAD COMMISSION RULES THAT OLD CONTRACTS DO NOT HOLD GOOD NOW.

## ROADS MAY RAISE ORE RATES

Resolution Refers Only to Log Rates But Railroads Will Probably Try to Raise on Iron Ore.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Lansing. The Michigan railroad commission has rendered an opinion in a question of freight rates on logs in the upper peninsula which is considered the most important ruling the commission has made since its inception, and one which may upstage the charges by upper peninsula shippers for the transportation of the natural resources of the state.

The commission holds that an abnormally low rate for the transportation of logs, contracted for when the railroads were trying to help the lumbermen develop the wilderness, does not hold good now, even though legally the contract may be still in force. The commission takes the position that the laws of Michigan give it the right to abrogate such contracts when they are clearly excessively low, or unreasonable from the standpoint of the carrier or discriminatory.

While the decision refers only to two lumber companies on whom the Soo line raised the log rate, it is expected that the principle involved may result in an attempt by the railroads to change the rate on iron ore in the iron country.

The Northwestern Cooperage company, of Gladstone, when the Soo line made its Rapid River branch, contracted with it, for a consideration of donating a right of way and certain timber inside that right, to have its logs moved from spurs to the Rapid River branch at the rate of \$3 a car under a 15-mile haul, and \$4 a car over 15 miles. The Soo line announced a practical doubling of the rate and the Cooperage company fought.

In the case of the Stack Lumber company, of Masonville, the case was not quite so well defined, as there was some question about the validity of the original contract.

## One Deer, With Horns.

The "one buck law," which has many warm advocates and many warm opponents, has been reported out and bids fair to use up a day or two of legislative time in the arguments that will be had over its value to the state. It permits a hunter to kill only one deer in a season and that a buck deer. Advocates of the bill say that it will stop the killing of hunters by other hunters who shoot when they see a moving object in the woods. Opponents say that it will result only in killed does being left in the woods. The subject is one that is always certain to produce an endless argument in the legislature.

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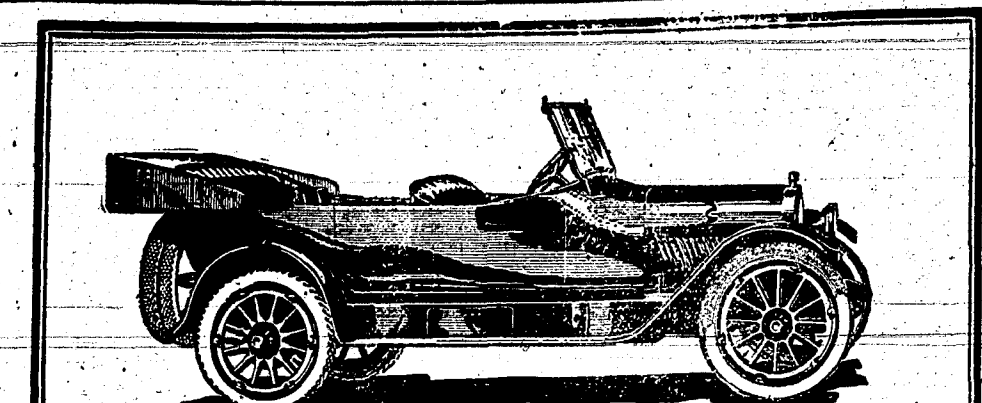
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## Notice of hearing Claims before Court.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of George Hartman, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the fifth day of February A. D. 1917, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 5th day of June, A. D. 1917, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 5th day of June, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 27th, A. D. 1917.

3-1-3 OSCAR PALMER, Judge of Probate.

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